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Met with Administrative Assistant Pat
Swygert and Roger Mills, staff member, in the office of Representative
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Ramparts that CIA was involved in drug traffic in Southeast Asia. I briefed along the lines of the Agency's noninvolvement in any drug traffic and of our positive efforts assisting the Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs to identify sources and shipment of opium. Mr. Swygert stated that his district is in the heart of Harlem and the drug situation is a menace. He requested a briefing by a representative of the Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs and asked if I might arrange such a briefing for him. I stated I would and he would be contacted accordingly.

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National Security and International Operations staff, called to say she was somewhat perplexed by the numerous news articles about Soviet ICBM silos and wanted to be sure there was no change in the situation since the briefing Mr. Duckett gave her and Mr. Perle on 19 May. She was particularly interested about the alleged testing of the new Soviet missile. After checking with Mr. Duckett, I assured Miss Fosdick the situation had not changed since that briefing and added that the preparation of the facilities for the new missile were continuing but we did not expect to see anything new on testing until later this summer. Miss Fosdick thanked me for looking into this.

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